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To the Club Girls.

San Francisco, Calif., Aug. 3, 1916.
Dear Club Girls:—

I have been seeing many things of interest to our work back in Texas, especially the pretty pack of fruits on exhibition at the different chambers of commerce and the San Diego Exposition. You know San Diego, California is having a continuation of its fair from last year and it is very pretty. The Canadian building and exhibits are the same that were exhibited at the San Francisco Exposition. It is a wonderful exhibit and leaves nothing undone to show the many resources of Canada.

That reminds me that I hope every club is preparing a nice exhibit for the Dallas fair and the Waco Cotton Palace. You will have to be giving the matter thought pretty soon about a fruit collection of your best work and preparing to send it to Dallas for the fair. We will arrange for prizes this year to be awarded you at each fair and then your fruit will not be kept out as long as it was last year and will not receive so much breakage and loss.

I wish I could tell you about the lovely Sherman Institute that I visited at Riverside California. I was on the program every day and I told every thing I could think of about my Texas girls and their work. Gave demonstrations and encouraged those in charge of the Indian Reservations to get their boys and girls to doing things industrially and for exhibition purposes. It was a gathering of Indian workers over this section of the United States. The Indian Reservations are being wonderfully improved under the supervision of Mr. Cato Sells, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and, who by the way, is a Texan. He is introducing many industrial improvements and I believe it will not be long before the Indian Reservations will be very active in all agricultural developments according to their location and possibilities. I am anxious to see them take up the silk worm culture.

Again that reminds me of our plans to introduce it in our club work this year. I would be glad to hear from all the clubs where it is possible to grow the white mulberry and where it is already growing. Let's begin to get busy with this plan.

There is a strike on in this great city among the cooks, waiters and musicians who play for restaurants and hotels and one wonders how it will end. I always regret to see such disturbances for I want every one to be happy. I walked to many different restaurants this morning to find them closed, or those that were open were picketed with strikers, who called out, "This is an unfair house, unfair house." I could not walk past and through those determined looking men into the place, so I would walk on again. I finally found a quiet little place where I could get something to eat over the counter. I am leaving this morning for Salt Lake City.

I will be back in Texas within a few days and then we will take up our club work in the way of getting our exhibits ready, canning our ripening peaches and other work. Let's all see how much we can can this month of every thing. I have had worlds of letters from the dear girls who attended the convention repeating the good times they had. I am so glad and hope every one will be able to take a new life back into her club and assist in making it active and beneficial to all the members and her community.

With lots of love, I am
Cordially,
MRS. J. L. LANDRUM.

Church Barbecue at Quihi.

The ladies of the Quihi Lutheran church will give a basket picnic at the church Thursday, August 17th.

There will be speaking in the forenoon by Rev. Beteit.

The crowds are expected to assemble about 10 a. m. Coffee and cake will be furnished free, while soda water, ice cream and barbecued meat will be on sale.

In the afternoon an auction sale will be conducted and fancy articles, the handiwork of the ladies, will be disposed of.

Everybody invited, and a good time assured to all.

Bring us your country produce. Will pay you cash for it. L. Barrientes & Sons, phone 200.



Hon. O. B. Colquitt

Dry Farming Congress Plans Progress.

The approaching session of the Texas Dry Farming Congress, which will be held at Uvalde Aug. 28, 29, 30, 31, will be the best session in several respects ever held. In the first place greater pains have been taken in the preparation of the program, to have the addresses and subjects discussed apply more particularly to conditions in this section of the state.

Great emphasis will be made on stock raising in connection with farming operations. This will be stressed in a short course in agriculture which will be given by strong members of the faculty of the Texas A. and M. College. Among their contributions to the program will be given the following subjects, and numbers of others:

Judging beef and dairy cattle.
Feeding cattle—Silos and silage.
Buying and selling cattle and dairy products.
Poultry raising.
Small grains as crops for Southwest Texas.
Demonstration—Judging poultry.
Maintenance of soil fertility under dry farming.

Judging hogs, sheep and goats.
Sheep and goat raising.
Feeding hogs.
A specialist from the United States Department of Agriculture will give methods of control of the screw-worm fly and helpful methods in avoiding serious losses from that pest. A man of life-long experience will demonstrate pecan budding and discuss all matters connected with that science.

Specialists from the State Department of Agriculture will be on the program, one of whom will lecture and demonstrate in home economics, canning and preserving.

Of course the other phases of farming in this section, such as crop and seed selection, soil preparation and tillage, etc., will be thoroughly discussed.

Help The Soldier Boys.

Dr. J. H. Pluck is getting up a box of books, magazines, etc. to send to the soldier boys on guard duty on the border, and those having literature that they can donate for this purpose are requested to bring the same to this office or deliver it to Dr. Pluck.

Card of Thanks.

To the friends who so generously aided me to win the dress voted to the young lady at the recent Merchant's Exposition I return my sincere thanks. Their kindness will always be pleasantly remembered.

MISS UNA GAINES.

Hondo High School.

The fall term of the Hondo High School will begin Monday, September 11th, with the following faculty in charge:

HIGH SCHOOL.

J. W. Peeler, superintendent; O. W. Peters, principal; B. F. Harrison, latin and history; Miss Genevieve Warren, latin and English; Miss Nella Davidson, Spanish and grade work; Miss Bertha Frenzel, primary.

GRADE TEACHERS.

Miss Amanda Smith, Miss Marguerite Wanshaff, Miss Jennie Woods, Miss Mary Moore, Mrs. Ed. Cameron. Music, Miss Willie Barton.

The people of Hondo are desirous of seeing a first class school built up here. To accomplish this end the people must show an active interest in the progress of the school. The prospects for a successful school are excellent. An able and experienced faculty will conduct the school and will exert every effort to advance it to the highest possible standard. Let the patrons and friends do their part and we can build up a school here that we will all be proud of.

Believes in Advertising.

Notwithstanding the opinions of others it would be a difficult matter to convince B. H. Hunter, proprietor of the Majestic Theatre of Sabinal, that advertising does not pay. Some two weeks ago Mr. Hunter inserted an advertisement in this paper announcing that the "Battle Cry of Peace" would be the attraction thrown on the canvas at his theatre on August 17th (next Thursday.) Mr. Hunter was in Hondo last week and twitted an employee of this office for not sending him a copy of the paper containing his advertisement, but remarked that the oversight was immaterial, as the number of applications for seats, accompanied by the cash, he had received from Hondo was proof enough that the advertisement had not only been inserted but had been read by the people here. When Mr. Hunter made this statement, just a few days after the appearance of his advertisement, he had sold enough tickets to pay for his advertisement several times over. How many he has sold since making the statement we are not advised. The moral is obvious: If you have anything of merit advertise it.

\$500.00 Reward.

I will pay the above reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who are stealing my steers. Sept. 9, 1916. D. W. SHORT.

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Call for Mass Meeting.

We, the undersigned citizens of Hondo, hereby call a mass meeting of all true Democrats, regardless of views on the question of prohibition, to meet at the court house in Hondo, Texas, on Saturday evening at 2:00 o'clock, p. m., on August 12, 1916, for the purpose of organizing a C. A. Culberson Club, and adopting such measures, means and procedure whereby the nomination of Hon. Chas. A. Culberson as United States Senator from Texas will be assured by the vote of Medina county electors in the run off primary on August 26th, 1916, between the Hon. C. A. Culberson and O. B. Colquitt, Ex-Governor of Texas:

V. H. Blocker,
W. H. Windrow,
A. P. Jones,
Earl Starnes,
J. A. Blackburn,
P. L. Crair,
J. F. Slater,
Claude W. Gilliam,
J. R. Chancey,
S. G. Carter,
H. H. Crow,
A. J. Swearingen,
J. D. Anderson,
T. B. Holloway,
Wm. Holloway,
Tom Campbell,
M. A. Chancey,
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Junior League Program.

Sunday, August 13, 3 p. m.
Leader—Travis Kimmey.
Bible Readings—Matt. 21-28, John 9-4, John 5-17.
Song—295.
Sentence prayers.
Responsive reading—367.
Picture Stories—Gladys Woods.
What I saw in Galveston—Irene Roberts.
Reference word "work"
Catechism lesson—chapter 7.
Song—313.

The Philathea Class Meets.

The Philathea Class met with Mrs. Meriwether on July 18. There was a good attendance and an interesting lesson from the Book of Ruth.

After the lesson delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Dr. Meyer on the afternoon of August 15th, at four o'clock. The lesson for this time is 1-10 chapters of Judges.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Aug. 13th.
Bible Study Meeting—Acts 9.
I. Saul on his way to Damascus—by Clara Gaines.
II. Saul and the Vision from Heaven—by Ralph Windrow.
III. Saul in Damascus—by Ernest Fusselman.
IV. Saul as a Preacher of the Gos-

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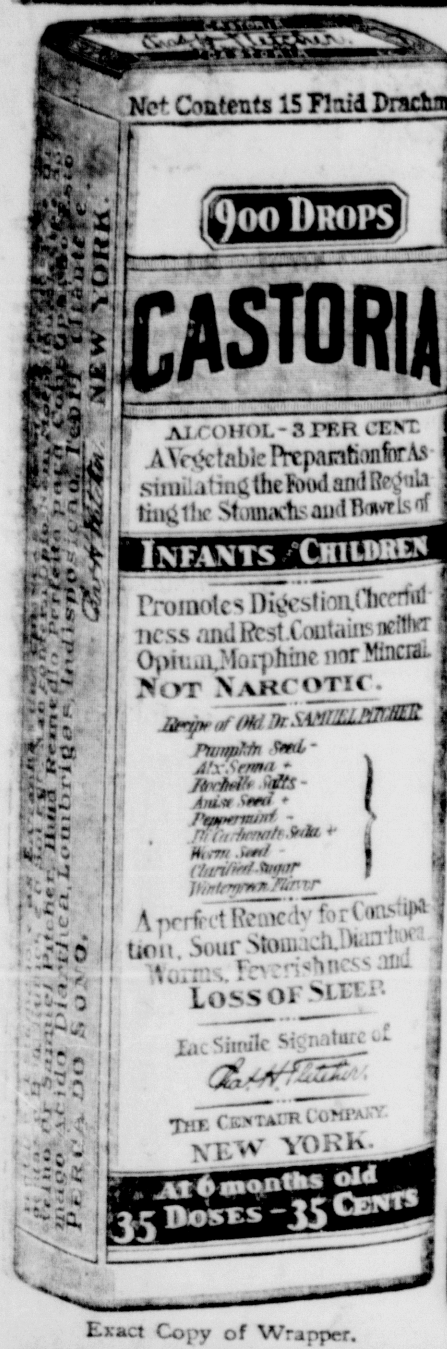
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We must do our own duty, but it is the part of wisdom to allow our neighbor to attend to his without too much oversight and direction. It is a natural trait of human nature to refuse to see what is too officiously pointed out.

MORE ABOUT SOUPS.

A nice hot dish of soup is most sustaining and soothing on a cold night.

Sheep's Tail Soup (Armenian).—Cut in small pieces eight sheep's tails. Soak in cold water for an hour, then par-boil, drain and fry in butter. Cover with mutton stock and add a bunch of parsley, two leeks, two cloves, an onion and a stalk of celery tied in a muslin bag. Cover and boil until the meat is tender. Add three quarts of mutton stock, simmer for an hour and remove the muslin bag. Season with curry powder and thicken with the yolks of four eggs, beaten smooth in a cupful of cream. Serve with boiled rice on a separate dish.

Puree of Parsnip Soup.—Fry in butter one quart of tender parsnips, cut in dice. Cover with beef stock and cook until tender, press through a sieve and return to the fire. Add enough beef stock to make the desired quantity of soup and thicken with a tablespoonful each of flour and butter. Reheat, season and serve hot.

Italian Chestnut Soup.—Shell and blanch 50 large chestnuts, cover with veal stock, add two tablespoonfuls of bread crumbs, salt, pepper and nutmeg to season, and simmer for two hours or more. Press through a sieve, measure the quantity of soup and add half as much boiling milk. Thicken with the yolk of an egg beaten with a little cold milk and serve with croutons.

Mock Turtle Soup.—Clean a calf's head thoroughly, split the head, take out the eyes and cover with salted water, bring to a boil, cook for half an hour, take out the head, remove the bones, peel the tongue and cut up the rest of the meat in small pieces, strain the liquor and return it to the pot with the meat, adding more water if necessary. Chop fine one small onion and a head of celery and add to the soup.

Season with pepper, salt, cloves and cinnamon to taste. Just before serving add half a lemon, sliced.

Nellie Maxwell

THE KITCHEN CABINET

I know that we must trust and hope, and neither doubt ourselves, nor doubt the good in one another.

While friends so dear surround me here, Let care, if he can, o'ertake me. —Dickens.

HOUSEWIFE'S HELPS.

Put cheese that is wanted to keep in a stone jar and cover thickly with salt; it will not mold or become dry with this treatment.

When the metal tip comes off from shoe string, wind the end firmly with waxed thread, then sew it in and you will have as good a tip as ever.

For successful pie making use old tin plates when baking custard, pumpkin or one-crust pie. If a new tin is bought, brown it well in the oven before using it. A custard pie must be baked crisp and brown on the bottom to be palatable, and thick, heavy pans make a soggy crust.

Polish mirrors with alcohol, then rub with whiting and polish. The finish will be much superior to any other treatment. This is good for windows.

Brush silk with a piece of velvet or velveteen. Never use a brush on silk.

A worn-out fancy waist may be made into a pretty little afternoon apron, by carefully cutting out the front. If there are embroidered sleeves, pockets may be made of them.

To Cure Car Sickness.—There are many number of remedies, like the eating of raisins, dry crackers, etc., but here comes one called infallible, given by a sleeping car porter. Eat several slices of raw potato, plentifully sprinkled with salt. Salted crackers would probably have the same result and be more digestible.

When cleaning any garment or gloves, mix gasoline with flour; rub this paste well into the soiled spots and brush well after the gasoline is evaporated. Peroxide will take out fruit stains, even of long standing. One application put on when they are on the line is usually sufficient. This need not be washed out as it does not injure the fabric.

Velvet covers to coat hangers are much better than silk, as the garment does not slip off so easily.

A small piece of butter dropped into the boiling sirup before it is added to the egg white insures a creamy frosting. A teaspoonful of cream will answer the same purpose.

Nellie Maxwell

Endorsed at Home.

Such Proof as This Should Convince Any Hondo Citizen.

The public endorsement of a local citizen is the best proof that can be produced. None better, none stronger can be had. When a man comes forward and testifies to his fellow-citizens, addresses his friends and neighbors, you may be sure he is thoroughly convinced or he would not do so. Telling one's experience when it is for the public good is an act of kindness that should be appreciated. The following statement given by a resident of Hondo adds one more to the many cases of Home Endorsement which are being published about Doan's Kidney Pills. Read it.

E. M. James, retired farmer, Hondo, says: "I came down with an attack of kidney trouble. My kidneys were disordered and failed to act properly. The passages of the kidney secretions became far too frequent and I was compelled to arise several times at night on this account. I was bothered constantly. Finally I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Windrow's Drug Store and they gave me prompt relief. Two more boxes entirely removed the trouble. I have had no kidney complaint since."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. James had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

When the party in power is defeated is the only time the opposition admits that the election must have been on the square.

Just the Thing for Diarrhoea.

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted over a week," writes W. C. Jones, Buford, N. D. "I became so weak that I could not stand upright. A druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The first dose relieved me and within two days I was as well as ever." Many druggists recommend this remedy because they know it is reliable. Obtainable everywhere.

It has been stated on good authority that only one person in 15,000 understands the currency question.

Liver Trouble.

"I am bothered with liver trouble about twice a year," writes Joe Dingman, Webster City, Iowa. "I have pains in my side and back and an awful soreness in my stomach. I heard of Chamberlain's Tablets and tried them. By the time I had used a half bottle of them I was feeling fine and had no signs of pain." Obtainable everywhere.

We wish we had the brains of Edison—then we could always invent an excuse that would work.

The Best Laxative.

To keep the bowels regular the best laxative is outdoor exercise. Drink a full glass of water half an hour before breakfast and eat an abundance of fruit and vegetables, also establish a regular habit and be sure your bowels move once a day. When a medicine is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are pleasant to take and mild and gentle in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

When a girl asks a man to teach her how to swim he might as well make up his mind to support her.

Granulated Sore Eyes Cured.

"For twenty years I suffered from a bad case of granulated sore eyes," says Martin Boyd of Henrietta, Ky. "In February, 1903, a gentleman asked me to try Chamberlain's Salve. I bought one box and used about two-thirds of it and my eyes have not given any trouble since." This salve is for sale by all druggists.

A man never knows what is coming to him until he gets it in the neck.

In every home where there is a baby there should also be a bottle of McGee's Baby Elixir. It may be needed at any time to correct sour stomach, wind colic, diarrhoea or summer complaint. It is a wholesome remedy, contains no opium, morphine or injurious drug of any kind. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

It is easier for a woman to say she is young than it is to look it.

If your child is pale and sickly, picks at the nose, starts in the sleep and grinds the teeth while sleeping it's a sure sign of worms. A remedy for these parasites will be found in White's Cream Vermifuge. It not only clears out the worms, but it restores health and cheerfulness. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

He laughs best who has the laugh on the other fellow.

If you sit in a cool draft when heated and get a stiff neck or lame back, you will be looking for something that will ease the pain. Fix your mind on Ballard's Snow Liniment and don't be talked out of it, because it is the best pain relieving liniment you can get anywhere. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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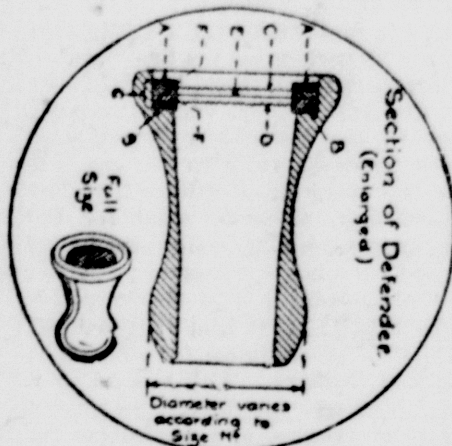
PROTECT EAR DRUMS

Soldiers in Modern Warfare Need
Safeguards.

Frightful Detonation of Modern Guns
Would Speedily Cause Deafness if
Most Elaborate Precautions
Were Not Taken.

The soldier who plugged up his ears
before going into battle would have
been considered effeminate in the last
century. The horrid din of war, fully
as the poets have expatiated upon it,
included until recently no sound power-
ful enough to split the drum of a
man's ear, or to rack his nerves to the
threshold of insanity. Things are differ-
ent nowadays. It is absolutely neces-
sary to guard the ears in some effective
way when one is in the vicinity of a
big gun. Even with due precaution the
gunners themselves often suffer from
deafness, as is noted by C. V. Boys.
Our quotation below is from an abstract
of Mr. Boys' note:

"The sudden access of pressure in
the neighborhood of a gun at the mo-
ment of firing imposes so great a strain
on the drum of the ear that deafness
is a usual result. The increase in
pressure in the modern gun, and the
high pressure still remaining when the



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in Detail—A, B and F Are Washers
—E Is the Sensitive Diaphragm
That Records the Lightest Sound—C
and D Are the Stops That Limit the
Vibration and Shut Out the Deafening
Din of the Guns—The Small
Drawing Shows the Exact Size.

shot reaches the muzzle, make the con-
ditions more serious than they used
to be until comparatively recently. Not
only those who are near the gun when
fired, but those also in the neighbor-
hood of bursting shells, bombs or ex-
plosives are liable to suffer in a sim-
ilar way even if they are not otherwise
damaged.

"A. Mallock, who has for many years
conducted investigations in connection
with artillery, has invented an 'ear-de-
fender,' the object of which is to pro-
tect the drum of the ear from very
sudden and violent access of pressure,
while still allowing the minute varia-
tions produced by ordinary sounds to
be received with but little loss. The
defender consists of a containing piece
made of ebonite and shaped like the
pieces used in the game of halma, and
of about the same size. The ball end
is very finely milled and it is made to
fit the passage of the ear, there being
five sizes, differing very slightly in di-
mensions in this part, to suit different
people. The piece is pierced centrally
by a hole one-fourth inch in diameter
at the small end, and gradually enlarg-
ing toward the other end, where it
opens into a recess five-eighths inch in
diameter. Into this are fitted in order
a flat-ring washer, a disk of fine wire
gauze, a very thin flatting washer, a
delicate diaphragm, a very thin flat-
ting washer, a disk of fine gauze and a
flat-ring washer."

Mr. Boys goes on to explain how this
device protects the delicate membrane
of the tympanum from the ear-splitting
noises of battle while permitting the
wearer to hear ordinary sounds distinct-
ly:

"When a pair of defenders is placed
in the ears the thin diaphragms, un-
touched except near their edges, where
they are held, are free to take up
aerial vibrations and to transmit them
to the ear passage. Thus ordinary
sounds are heard with little loss. When,
however, the violent impact due to
gun-fire or explosion in the neigh-
borhood occurs, the diaphragm is
brought up against the wire gauze, by
which further movement is checked
also the injurious increase of pressure.
Hence the ear is defended."

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Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

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that the neighbors talk about, we try
to believe the habit is only one of the
idiosyncrasies of a genius.

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Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the sys-
tem. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

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District Judge of the 38th Judicial District.

County Clerk.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for
their support in the past, I hereby announce as
a candidate for re-election to the office of County
Clerk and again ask for your votes and sup-
port for the same at the November election.
Respectfully,

S. A. JENOMAN.

County Treasurer.

I take this means of thanking the voters of
Medina County for their support, and an-
nounce as a candidate for re-election to the of-
fice of County Treasurer of Medina County, at
the November election.

J. J. DROGOTZAR.

County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
ELMER DE MONTEL
as a candidate for re-election to the office of
County Attorney of Medina County, at the
November election.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce
J. F. BADER
as a candidate for re-election to the office of
Sheriff of Medina County, at the November
election.

For Tax Assessor.

In again offering myself as a candidate for re-
election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina
County, I desire to sincerely thank the people for
courtesies heretofore shown me, and should I
again be honored with your votes and support it
shall be my constant endeavor to prove worthy
of your confidence in me. Yours to serve,

L. E. HEATH.

For Tax Collector.

Thanking you for past favors shown me, I
again announce myself as a candidate for Tax
Collector of Medina county, and solicit your
vote and support at the ensuing November elec-
tion. Very respectfully,

JOE NEY.

For County Judge

Thanking the good people of Medina county
for their liberal support in the past, I again an-
nounce as a candidate for County Judge, assur-
ing the public the same courteous attention
and a conservative business administration.

R. J. NOONAN.

For District Clerk

Thanking you for past favors shown me, I
again announce myself as a candidate for Dis-
trict Clerk of Medina county, and solicit your
vote and support at the ensuing November elec-
tion. Very respectfully,

AUGUST KEMPE.

For Public Weigher, Precinct
No. 1.

We are authorized to announce
GEORGE SCHUEBLE
as a candidate for Public Weigher of Precinct
No. 1, Medina County, at the November elec-
tion.

We are authorized to announce
H. H. CROW
as a candidate for Public Weigher of Precinct
No. 1, Medina County, at the November elec-
tion.

We are authorized to announce
H. J. HEYEN
as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher
of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For County Commissioner

We are authorized to announce
B. C. WIEMERS
as a candidate for County Commissioner of Pre-
cinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
ALBERT L. NEUMAN
as a candidate for County Commissioner of
Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
B. H. BRUCKS
as a candidate for County Commissioner of Pre-
cinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
TOM McLAUGHERTY
as a candidate for County Commissioner of Pre-
cinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN B. NEY
as a candidate for re-election to the office of
County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, at the
November election.

We are authorized to announce
H. F. WURZBACH
as a candidate for re-election to the office of
County Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, at the
November election.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1

We are authorized to announce
A. M. LAMM
as a candidate for re-election to the office of
Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, Medina
County, at the approaching November election.

For Constable.

We are authorized to announce
HENRY MOORE
as a candidate for the office of Constable of Pre-
cinct No. 1, Medina county, at the ensuing
November election.

Sallow complexion comes from bil-
ious impurities in the blood and the
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and a number of doc-
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stomach and my bow-
els became more reg-
ular. Today I feel like
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who suffer as I did for
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Miss Goldie Hurt was a visitor west Friday.

Eat at the New York Lunch Room.
Tables for ladies. If

M. L. Saathoff and son were here from Tarpley yesterday.

For Sale—Pole Wood and Stumps.
Phone 140. John Frerichs. 27-1f.

Buy your cotton scales at Boon's;
400 lbs. for \$2.00; 150 lbs. for \$1.50.

John and August Burger, from Lacoste, were Hondo visitors this week.

Henry Wurzbach, county commissioner from Cliff, was in town Thursday.

Let Edwin F. Bendele repair your windmills, gasoline engines and pumps. 32-4f

Found—Between Hondo and D'Han—is an automobile chain. Apply to J. S. Koch.

We can print most any thing in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Herald's prices. If

Two of flour and one of oil totaled the car load shipments into Hondo for the past week.

A marriage license was issued, August 9th, to Mr. George L. Boehle and Miss Lisette M. Breiten.

Gasoline stoves and irons repaired. Work guaranteed. Shop in Metzger Addition. Edwin F. Bendele.

A marriage license was granted to Mr. Martin D. McNutt and Miss Jonnie Ora Thompson, on August 3rd.

Let the City Tailor Shop clean and press your suit. Satisfaction guaranteed. Geo. Carle Jr., proprietor.

Miss Belle Hancock left Saturday for Luling on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Ernest F. Wilson and family.

When your gasoline engine, or gasoline sad irons need fixing call on C. H. Rolph, at Westfall's blacksmith shop.

See our line of Samples and let us order that new suit for you. The City Tailor Shop, Geo. Carle Jr., Proprietor.

For Rent, the Causey place in the north part of town is for rent cheap, subject to sale. Apply to Fletcher Davis.

Found—At the Auditorium Monday night, a tie clasp. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Heyo Schweers returned Friday from Lockhart where they had spent several weeks at the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. H. H. Heyen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carter have returned from their honeymoon trip to Kansas and are now comfortably located in the Odom residence, near the Hondo Auto Sales garage.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Butzler of Dunlay were here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman were Castroville visitors Wednesday.

We buy poultry and eggs especially. L. Barrientes & Sons, phone 200.

Wm. Santleben and Hy. Reus, both of Lacoste, were here this week.

Joe Tschirhart and wife of Noonan were last week-end visitors in Hondo.



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Chas. Folk was a San Antonio visitor Monday.

Miss Corinne Ney visited in San Antonio Monday.

Miss Fanye Carle left Wednesday for a visit in San Antonio.

Mrs. Susan Slater left Wednesday for a visit in Brady, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Batot were San Antonio visitors yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cockrell visited San Antonio the first of the week.

Motorcycle in good condition for sale cheap. Citizens' Motor Car Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Beal spent the week as the guests of friends in Pearsall.

Miss Alta Isom of Sabinal visited Misses Clara and Una Gaines this week.

Mrs. C. J. Bless was among the Hondo visitors in San Antonio Wednesday.

Wm. Schmalkoke of San Antonio was here buying horses and mules during the week.

Jesus Contreras and Sogoria Sarabia were married last Saturday by Justice A. M. Lamm.

Ab. Blocker of the Stockmen's Protective Association, stopped over in Hondo Monday.

For Sale—A choice building site in desirable part of town for sale cheap. Apply to Marvin Beal. If

Frank Martin went to San Antonio Tuesday where he is receiving surgical attention to an injured leg.

Let Edwin F. Bendele repair your furniture. All work called for and delivered to any part of town.

Mrs. V. H. Blocker and little daughter have returned from a pleasant visit with relatives at Clarendon.

Wanted, to trade a good auto for Mares or Mules. See J. H. Meyers, Hondo, Texas, at once. If

Miss Lucile Mercer, after a visit to relatives and friends here, has returned to her home in Pearsall.

For Sale—Good rust-proof seed oats for sale, free from Johnson grass. Apply to Louis Leinweber, Hondo. 10f

Miss Juanita Mosely of San Antonio passed through here Wednesday en route to Yancey to visit Miss Ora Bandy.

If you would be neatly and correctly dressed let Geo. Carle of The City Tailor Shop take your measure for a new suit.

The ladies of the Cemetery Association will meet with Mrs. McClaugherty Thursday afternoon, August 17th, at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. C. R. Fulton, who will be pleasantly remembered in Hondo, passed through here Friday en route from San Antonio to Uvalde.

Two hundred and twenty-two bales of cotton had been shipped up to noon from Hondo yesterday against 74 bales up to same date last year.

For Sale—Six-room house with bath and large sleeping porch; 2 lots (corner) and good barn. Apply to Stella and Lena Stone, Hondo, Texas. 5f

Miss Alice Smith has returned from her vacation, spent in San Antonio and Galveston, and has resumed her duties in the Anvil Herald office.

Cleaning and pressing neatly and correctly done and deliveries promptly made when you let The City Tailor Shop do your tailoring. Geo. Carle Jr.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Drug-gist, Hondo.

Thad Miller of Seguin was shaking hands with friends here Sunday. He came over after Mrs. Miller who had been the guest of friends here for a week or more.

The Black Creek Home Economics Club Girls met August 3 at the new school house for the purpose of donating the money made from the "bag sale" to the school.

The Epworth Leaguers and invited guests, altogether making a party of some forty odd, enjoyed a moonlight picnic at the Stiegler crossing on the Hondo Thursday night.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

Fletcher Davis left last Sunday for McMullen county on business for the State Department of Agriculture. His present itinerary will keep him away from home until about the 1st of September.

Just received, a supply of Columbia Batteries—cost less, lasts longer—for your phone, gas engine, auto, etc. Give them a trial. Citizen's Motor Car Co., phone 151, Weyand Bros., Proprietors. 1f

The Fifth Sunday Meeting of Del Rio-Uvalde Association convened at Yancey last week. The local attendance was excellent. Visitors, however, on account of the continued rains, were not numerous.

AUNTIE CONCILIATED

By CATHERINE CRANMER.

"Marian, are you actually engaged to that penniless young dreamer, Gerald Holmes?" Mrs. Martyn threw this question abruptly at her niece.

"Yes, Aunt Caroline," admitted Marian, with a smile, for, although fond of her worldly aunt, she was also amused at her sometimes. "But my decision wasn't based on pennies so much as on principles. It's making money the first consideration that makes so many marriages a failure."

"Dreaming, as usual," Mrs. Martyn shook her well-groomed gray head. "Still, I've hopes that you'll wake up before it's too late. Come with me to the seashore and make yourself agreeable to the men you meet there."

While Marian swam, golfed and flirted with the eligibles at the seashore in a way that misled her ambitious aunt, Gerald Holmes busily clicked away on his typewriter in a manufacturing section whose laborers produced the wealth which made it possible for the rich eligibles to live in luxurious idleness. Every day letters passed between Marian and Gerald and every letter contained a bit of description of the life around the writer. The contrasts were so striking that Gerald got the biggest plot idea he had ever had, and he sat day after day and sometimes until far into the night, working on his first novel.

"Kindling the World's Kinship" was the title of his book, which came out early in the fall, when the summer idlers were returning to the city. It was the story of a millionaire mine owner, who, when he went for the first time to inspect conditions in his mines in the hope of averting a strike, was overwhelmed with the responsibility resting upon him in providing the means of existence for that small world of workers. With the aid of a miner and his daughter, who proved a sort of prophet and prophetess for their people, the mine owner faced this responsibility so frankly and discharged it so fully that life afterwards meant infinitely more for him and for the laborers and their children than any of them had dreamed that life could mean. Gerald published the book over the name of "Gery Marlon," but covering the identity of both of them.

At Mrs. Martyn's first reception after her return to the city this book was a main topic of conversation. At Marian's request, Mrs. Martyn had invited Gerald to the reception, and he had the unusual experience of hearing his book criticized with absolute candor. He had the very uncomfortable experience, however, of seeing that John Morehead, one of the most distinguished-looking men present, was devoting himself to Marian and of seeing by Marian's manner that those attentions were not unwelcome. Gerald knew that Morehead was one of the many young married men whose marital infidelities had been aired in the newspapers, but in the midst of his anxiety over this unpleasant discovery Mrs. Martyn called him to her and presented him to Mrs. Morehead.

"Everybody's discussing 'Kindling the World's Kinship,'" began Mrs. Morehead, "and as you are a writer, perhaps you'll divulge some of the tricks of the trade. I'm not the one to say whether this book is good literature, but I know it has made me shudder at the thought of the amount of money thrown away on gewgaws by the few when it could be used to make life more worth living for a lot of people."

Gerald saw that the woman was intensely interested and that she was seeking to regain a normal outlook on life, but his interest in her suddenly ceased to exist as he saw Marian and John Morehead approaching them after a tete-a-tete over their tea.

"Mrs. Morehead," said Marian cordially, "this is the opportunity I've been hoping for, and I'm going to throw myself on the mercy of all three of you at the same time. To you, I have to confess an unfair, monopoly of your husband all through the afternoon; to your husband, I have to confess my responsibility for some of his identical speeches being put into the mouth of the hero of 'Kindling the World's Kinship,' and to Mr. Holmes, I must confess that I have allowed the authorship of his book to become known to Mr. Morehead as the last step in proving that it was not prompted by envy of the wealthy classes."

"Mr. Holmes, forgive me for suspecting that you could envy anybody," said John Morehead gallantly, "but until a few moments ago I didn't know you were Miss Martyn's fiancé. I congratulate you."

"But we must keep that authorship a secret among us for a while longer," said Marian, with a blush and a laugh, as she and Gerald started away from the Moreheads, for we don't want our honeymoon spoiled by enraged millionaires."

John Morehead looked into his wife's eyes and asked her if they couldn't take a little honeymoon trip to the Pennsylvania mountains where his mines were. The haughty head lowered a little, and the words that tried to form themselves on her trembling lips were less eloquent of her willingness than the glad brightness that shone through the tears in her eyes.

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Geologists say that Australia is one of the oldest existing lands.

What Would We Do Without Sugar?



We are so used to sugar that we are likely to forget to give it its proper place. Right now if somebody asked you what sugar was good for you'd probably say—"Oh! to put in coffee and tea and for making candies and desserts." That's it—we all think of sugar as a sweetener and overlook its value as a food.

The chemists classify sugar as a hydrocarbon—that name may or may not be interesting to us, but what is interesting is their statement that it has, as a hydrocarbon, equal food value with the starchy foods and by digestion largely adds to the fatty tissues of the body.

Why do we eat sugar anyway? Your first answer might be: "Because it is sweet and tastes good." Of itself the answer would be correct, but the more important fact is that the body craves sugar because it needs it. And when the body craves something it gives us an appetite for it. So primarily that's why we like sugar and things made with sugar and not just because they are sweet.

In view of the fact that sugar has gone up so tremendously of late these facts are interesting because we find that instead of the luxury sugar having gone up it is the FOOD sugar that has raised its price. Yet—even though the price is up we have to have our sweet food just the same.

Certainly the makers of that delicious beverage, Coca-Cola, must have discovered that sugar is up, because one of the principal ingredients in making Coca-Cola syrup is fine cane sugar. Think of it—they use an average of 80 tons of sugar a day—about 4 carloads. But unlike many manufacturers that company has itself borne the raise and so you and I pay just the same today for our bottle or glass of Coca-Cola that we've always paid. Incidentally, this phase of the situation is a good reminder of the benefits one gets from drinking a beverage as pure and good as Coca-Cola. Not only do we please our palates and derive wholesome refreshment from the drink but we also give our systems that bit of sugar sweetness that they crave and which is necessary to health and tissues. Is it any wonder then that Coca-Cola is so popular and so universally drunk that it has been called "the drink the nation drinks"?



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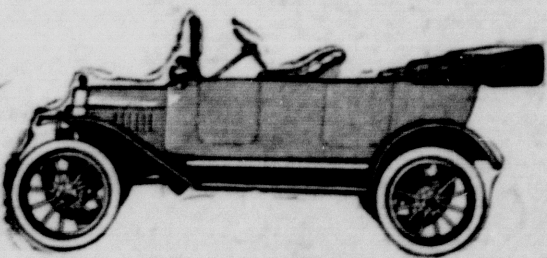
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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stone were San Antonio visitors during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nic Deckert of D' Hanis were visitors in Hondo Wednesday.

Miss Elsie Rothe of D' Hanis was the guest of relatives and friends here this week.

Sid Wilson came in Wednesday and went down to Yancey on a visit to relatives.

F. Kilhorn and family spent the week as the guest of friends in Moore this week.

Mrs. Emma Short is here from Seguin the guest of her son, D. W. Short, and family.

Aug. Rohrbach, after a visit here, returned to his home at Dunlay Thursday morning.

Misses Ruth and M. L. Hensch were among the Hondo passengers to San Antonio Thursday.

Misses Lucy Rothe and Cecile Braden of D' Hanis were here this week visiting Miss Corinne Ney.

Mrs. Joe Fohn and daughter, Miss Margie, went to San Antonio Wednesday for a few days visit.

Bring us your poultry and eggs. Will give you the best price for them. L. Barrientes & Sons, phone 200.

The county commissioners' court will meet in regular term at the court house next Monday, August 14th.

For Rent.—The two story residence next to Hondo Auto Sales Co. Garage. Apply to R. A. Carter at Garage. tf.

Improve the looks of your car with our NICKEL PLATED BUMPER and save smashed lamp or fender. Horace M. Ling.

The young society people of Hondo are anticipating a pleasant time at a private dance at the Auditorium tonight.

Master Thurston Gentry, who has been here visiting his uncle, J. W. Griffiths, and family, left yesterday for his home in Dallas.

The following Medina county citizens attended the Farmers' Union meeting in Houston this week: A. L. Brucks, H. H. Saathoff, Ben Balzen, Mimke Wiemers, Andrew Oeffinger, G. Bohmfalk, J. W. Griffiths, H. W. Butts and Paul Richter. The meeting convened on the 8th and continued in session for three days.

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For service, buy Goodyear tires, Citizens' Motor Car Co.

L. Boehle of Dunlay was a business caller at this office Monday.

Miss Josephine Hutzler has as her guest, Miss Grace Armstrong of Beeville.

The benefit entertainment at the Airdome Tuesday night netted the Mothers' Club \$19.

Miss Octavia Davis is home again after quite a visit with relatives and friends at Castroville.

Make your car more beautiful and useful with a set of seat covers. Prices right. Horace M. King.

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L. J. Brucks and Elmer de Montel attended the Democratic State Convention in Houston this week as delegates from this county.

The county board of education was in session Monday and Tuesday of this week transacting such school business as came within its jurisdiction.

Twenty-five cars of freight were forwarded from Hondo since our last report, as follows: 17 cars of cattle, 1 of household goods, 4 of milo maize, 1 of oats and 1 of wheat.

William McKinley Schmitt was a visitor in San Antonio Wednesday—went down to see if he couldn't straighten out the chief-policeship muddle that is now agitating the people of that city.

Prof. J. W. Peeler and wife are now comfortably settled in the house recently vacated by Prof. Peterson and family. Prof. Peeler is quite busy getting things in shape for the opening of the fall term of the public school.

J. F. Medlin and son, Tom, and families of Bell county, are here on a visit to the elder Medlin's brother-in-law, B. G. Collier. The gentlemen, accompanied by Mr. Collier, were pleasant callers at this office Thursday evening.

Arthur and Frank Jungman, who have been guests of their friend, Travis Peeler, at a delightful house party at Jourdan, are at home again. They report a most delightful visit in Atascosa county's new capital city.

Miss Nanna Smith came out from San Antonio Wednesday. She has been granted a vacation by the Southwestern Telephone Co. which she will spend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, and relatives and friends here.

Hon. W. P. Blocker, American Consul at Piedras Negras, Mexico, Mrs. Blocker and their guest, Miss Mary Glascock, of Corpus Christi, were here a few days last week guests of Consul Blocker's father, Judge V. H. Blocker.

For Sale, a five-room house and two acres of land in the north part of town, known as the Causey place. This property will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply to Fletcher Davis, Agent, Hondo, or to R. I. Risinger, Owner, Tarpley, Texas.

Three young Mexican delinquents, aged from 9 to 10 years, are in the county jail. They are charged with tapping the till of some of the Mexican vendors in the town. As they are too young to be handled by the district court an effort will be made by the county authorities to have them confined in the state juvenile reformatory.

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Mrs. Otto Leibold and children have returned from a visit in Dunlay.

Luke Spurgers has returned to his home at Sabinal after a visit to Yancey.

Wm. Boon of Pearsall was here this week the guest of his son, Earl, and family.

Miss Lucile de Montel returned Saturday from a visit with relatives at Castroville.

Miss Abbie Bradley left Saturday for Del Rio on a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. F. Mosfield.

Mrs. Hiram Stitts and children of Arizona left Sunday for Floresville after a visit to relatives here.

Clarence King of San Antonio was the guest of his brother, Horace M. King, and other relatives here this week.

Miss Katherine and Mr. Elmer Zimmerman of San Antonio are visiting their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bader, this week.

The Mothers' Club will meet with Mrs. A. G. Walker next Monday afternoon. All members are requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Leighton came down from Tarpley Tuesday to meet Miss Ball of San Antonio, who will be their guest for awhile.

L. E. Heath, tax assessor, returned Monday from San Antonio where he had been taking medical treatment. We are glad to state that he is very much improved.

Miss Nella Davidson came in Tuesday from San Marcos. She was met here by her father, Rev. Davidson, and they returned to their home in Yancey that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bader and family had as their week-end guests, Miss Florence Smith of Uvalde, Miss Hadel Miller of Tarpley, Miss Josephine Holzhaus of Castroville, John Balmos and Robert Neuman of San Antonio.

Woman's Missionary Society.

The Mission Study Class of the Woman's Missionary Society met at the Methodist Church Monday, Aug. 7th, with 10 members present.

Several interesting and instructive talks were made on the subject, "Korea's United Church."

Our next subject will be "Japan's Response to the Gospel," the 6th chapter of our study book.

Society will hold its business and devotional meeting Aug. 21.

REPORTER.

FLEAS INJURE DOGS.

Fleas not only annoy dogs, but cause mange, as well as other diseases. Fleas are carried into the home by dogs.

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JOKE ON A PRACTICAL JOKER

Inoffensive Citizen Turned on Him, Hit Him Between the Eyes and Then Jumped on Him.

The practical joker was sauntering along in the dusk. The inoffensive citizen was sauntering along in the same dusk, unmindful of the presence of the practical joker. The practical joker, recognizing a friend in the inoffensive citizen, chuckled to himself and quickened his steps to overtake him.

The inoffensive citizen was thinking of a story he had read about footpads, and wondering whether anyone would ever try to hold him up. The practical joker suddenly tipped the inoffensive citizen's hat over his eyes. The inoffensive citizen wheeled instantly and landed a fine, large blow between the practical joker's eyes. The practical joker went down. The inoffensive citizen promptly sat on him and hit him again. The practical joker yelled:

"For heaven's sake don't hit me again, John. Don't you know me?"

The inoffensive citizen said, "Great Scott!"

The practical joker said, in an injured tone: "Hang it all, John, it's only a joke."

The inoffensive citizen looked at the practical joker, who now had one eye closed, and laughed. The practical joker angrily asserted that it was no laughing matter.

"But you said it was a joke," returned the inoffensive citizen, "and I think you are right."

And he laughed again. But the practical joker hasn't been able to see the point of it to this day. Still, it was unquestionably a good joke.

Deeply Moved.

"Your lawyer made an eloquent plea in your defense. He evidently believed you innocent."

"No, he didn't," answered the defendant.

"But you must have said something to him that strongly influenced him in your favor?"

"So I did. I showed him my bank roll and said: 'Fifty-fifty if you get me out of this.'"

For Cleaning to CARTER'S Carry Your Clothes

"Little Orphant Annie" Says "Jim" Riley Was the Meanest of Boys

Many will be surprised to learn that there ever was a real "Orphant Annie." "Orphant Annie" is now Mrs. Wesley Gray. Although not a great many miles from the poet's birthplace, Greenfield, Ind., Mrs. Gray's farm is situated in the real, old-fashioned back country.

It was a raw, bleak day when little "Orphant Annie" was brought to the Riley home. She came from a primitive country settlement in a rough wagon, riding on a heavy board laid across it for a seat. . . . She recalled the happenings at the Riley home with amusement and delight.

"Jim Riley," she declared, "was the biggest tease and the meanest boy I ever seen. I used to wonder how he learnt it all; how in the world a boy only twelve years old could be so full of mischief, and such an awful tease."

"He would draw ugly pictures of us and write mean things beneath 'em, and I tell you, he just natchurly worried the life out of us. Then he would make his eyes red by rubbing them, and pretend he was sticking gun caps in them. Then he'd pull the gun caps out of his nose. You can't guess how he scared us."

"Then he had a hateful way of doing a trick that a circus man taught him, with a button and a handkerchief, by folding the handkerchief around the button, and then undoing it, and the button wasn't there. That made us awful curious, and we made him do it again and again, until one time he dropped it out of his sleeve."—Ladies' Home Journal.

To Curl Feathers.

Try this method of curling your feathers. Take a round stick and hold the feathers close to it lengthwise and fold the down carefully around the wood. Next slip over it a closely fitting bag of any material; this bag should be a trifle larger than the curling stick. Hold this bag in the steam of a kettle until thoroughly dampened, after which place in a warm spot to dry. When the bag is removed it will be found that the feather is nicely curled.

Wise and Otherwise.

Time may be money to everybody but the loafer.

And often the shoplifter finds it difficult to take things easy.

Dead men tell no tales, but some of their widows may draw pensions.

As long as a man can keep his temper he isn't his own worst enemy.

A bachelor says that matrimony is one of the blanks in love's lottery.

A woman's idea of an entertaining man is one who says nothing and listens.

Spendsrifts may be so called because they have nothing in common with thrift.

A girl's best insurance against trouble is to make a confidant of her mother.

It's a woman's natural faith that enables her to believe only the things she wants to when she knows she doesn't.

Dreadful Suspicion.

He—We must be firm about our engagement, dear, and make your father toe the mark.

She—But suppose you're the mark?

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A Smile Along the Way.

Have you got a heap of troubles,
Are you feeling mighty blue?
Guess you'd better look around you—
Lots of folks worse off than you.
Not so many feel like singing
When the skies are dark and gray,
Lots of weary folks would bless you
If you'd smile along the way.

Sighing's never going to help you
Get the thing you're longing for,
Only makes the days go slower,
Only makes your heart feel sore.
Better make a bit of sunshine,
Help to make some sad heart gay,
And the angels will be near you,
If you smile along the way.

—Christine Kerr Davis, in The People's Home Journal for August.

FRED W. DAVIS, State Commissioner of Agriculture, has announced the appointment of Harry Hampton Williams to the

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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position of statistician. Mr. Williams is a popular newspaper man, well known among country weekly publishers, and is considered a vigorous and brilliant writer. Commissioner Davis feels indebted to the newspaper men of Texas for many courtesies. The appointment of Mr. Williams may be considered as a well-deserved recognition of the Texas newspaper fraternity.

A Woman's Kindly Act.

Mrs. G. H. Eveland, Duncan Mills, Ill., writes: "I was stricken with lumbago, unable to turn in bed. A neighbor brought Foley Kidney Pills. She had been similarly affected and they cured her. I was cured by three bottles." If the kidneys do not function, lumbago, rheumatism, aches, pains, are apt to result. Sold everywhere, and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

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Weekly News Letter.

Crop Report of the State Department of Agriculture.
(Week Ending August 5, 1916.)

Crosby County—Cotton, 90 per cent; sorghums, 90 per cent; corn, 50 per cent. Good rains.

Floyd County—Cotton 90 per cent; sorghums, 80 per cent; corn, 30 per cent. Good rains.

Hale County—Cotton, 80 per cent; sorghums, 75 per cent; corn, 30 per cent. Good rains over south half.

Swisher County—Cotton, 50 per cent; sorghums, 60 per cent; corn, 10 per cent. Very dry.

Randall County—Sorghums, 25 per cent; corn, 0 per cent. Very dry.

Deaf Smith County—Sorghums, 25 per cent; corn, 0 per cent. Very dry.

Parmer County—Sorghums, 25 per cent; corn, 0 per cent. Very dry.

Wood and Smith Counties—Corn, 90 per cent; cotton 80 per cent; peanuts, 90 per cent; sweet potatoes, 95 per cent; peas, 85 per cent; hay crops, 90 per cent; truck and fall gardens, 75 per cent. Hot and sultry with heavy showers scattered over.

Cherokee County—Good rains have fallen recently. Corn, cotton, cane, peas, peanuts and sweet potatoes are all good. Best feed crop in many years.

Lamar, Delta and Hopkins Counties—Heavy showers scattered but needing general rain. Cotton on heavy land doing well; on thin land suffering.

Callahan County—No rain. Days hot, but nights pleasant. Crops in normal condition, with the exception of being perhaps a trifle late. Fruit crop moving at fair prices.

Travis and Williamson Counties—Heavy showers fell Saturday, 5th. All crops in normal condition.

Taylor County—All crops are in fine condition. At no time have they really suffered for moisture, and within the week a fine rain fell.

Tom Green, Runnels, Sterling and Irion—Fine rains, have fallen largely over these counties and the crop conditions are regarded as very satisfactory.

Childress, Hall, Donley and Armstrong Counties—These counties, with the exception of a very few localities therein, are very dry and crops suffering. Hedley and Lelia Lake are in sections where rains have fallen.

Polk, Shelby and Nacogdoches Counties—Plenty of rain and all crops good.

A splendid program is being arranged for the Texas Dry Farming Congress which meets here the last four days of August. There will be a short course in agriculture, demonstration work in home economics, demonstrations in judging cattle, hogs, goats, poultry and lectures on corn-growing illustrated by motion pictures. The United States Department of Agriculture, the Texas State Department of Agriculture, the A. & M. College, and the Experiment Stations will contribute to the program, in addition to which there will be at least one man of national reputation to address the Congress.—Uvalde Leader-News.

A Summer Laxative and Liver Regulator.

Po-Do-Lax is a liquid laxative—mild and effective. It arouses the liver, increases the bile, does not gripe and acts as a general tonic to the whole system. Aids nature to clear and purify the blood—as a laxative tonic for summer. Po-Do-Lax has no equal. What was "good enough for father is good enough for me" never applied with more force than the use of Po-Do-Lax for the liver. An old time tried remedy. Get a bottle, take a dose tonight and see how much better you feel. At all druggists.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Hay entertained a few of their friends at their home Tuesday evening. The hours were very pleasantly spent in playing games and after the guests were served with delicious iced watermelon.—Bandera New Era.

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Mrs. Jake Reinhart returned to her home at Sabinal, after visiting relatives here.

Oscar Reis, Chas. Wurzbach Jr. and Oscar Wurzbach and Aug. Schott visited D'Hanis Friday.

Misses Melony Hueser, Francis Davis and Kete Schmitt and Martha Kempf visited Antonio during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nic. Hutzler of Bader Settlement visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Faust and baby of San Antonio visited Grandma Kempf during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. August Bader and Misses Lena Burger and Lenora Tschirhart were San Antonio visitors the middle of the week.

Mrs. Henry J. Schott and Miss Mary Weiss and sister of Biry were shopping here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Holzhaus visited in Elmendorf Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Florence, Miss Octavia Davis and Miss Albee Rihn left today for the Medina Dam on a camping trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Balzen and baby of upper Quibi visited here Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Kilhorn returned from a two weeks' visit to Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Schott at Biry.

Mrs. Adolph Tondre and two children, Clark and Mabel, visited relatives and friends in San Antonio during the week.

Miss Pauline Vollmer of San Antonio is visiting her mother here, Mrs. J. Vollmer Sr.

Mrs. Peter Eiserloh and children of San Antonio and Mr. Robert Keller also of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Keller Sunday.

Miss Alma Wurzbach visited friends at Quibi during the week, the guest of Miss Oefinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Jagge, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jagge, Mr. and Mrs. Jul Jagge, Mr. Archie were D'Hanis visitors Saturday.

Miss Cecelia Steinle spent several days in D'Hanis.

H. F. Wurzbach and daughters, Elvera and Cornelia, Alvin Wurzbach and Alfred Mangold were D'Hanis visitors Friday.

Miss Alice Tondre returned from a six weeks' visit at San Marcos.

Misses Adella Keller and Martha Kempf have returned from a week's visit to Hondo and D'Hanis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and baby, Miss Gertrude Rihn and Mrs. Louis Scherrer spent Saturday at the Bazaar in D'Hanis.

Mrs. Phil Jagge is visiting in Hondo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil G. Haby and two boys spent the week at Uvalde, visiting Mr. Haby's brother, Alfonso Haby, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haby and children of Dunlay visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Willie Renken is home again after a lengthy stay at Hondo.

A number of our denizens left for San Antonio with teams to do gravel hauling for the Government at Fort Sam Houston.

Messrs. G. B. Noonan, Geo. Frey, Wm. Biediger and O. M. Naegelin left Tuesday evening on a several days fishing trip up the river. They returned Friday evening and report having been successful.

A large number from here and Rio-Edina went to D'Hanis to participate in the festivities.

Our Seniors went out to Quibi Sunday to cross bats with those boys and managed to defeat them, and our kids went to Lacoste and got defeated.

Ed Kaufmann, of San Antonio, is lingering with his many friends here today.

Castroville, Aug. 7, 1916.

A man will tell how some woman rted with him just as if he wasn't really guilty.

WITH YOUR HANDS TIED by some chronic "female complaint" or weakness, what can you expect? There's nothing you can accomplish—nothing you can enjoy. And no good reason for it. Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription will cure you, safely and certainly, if you'll give it faithful use. For every one of these womanly troubles, this is the only remedy that will cure you, safely and certainly, if you'll give it faithful use. For every one of these womanly troubles, this is the only remedy that will cure you, safely and certainly, if you'll give it faithful use.

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Not a Newspaper is printed these days in Texas but what you find something about Roads—Good Roads being planned here and Good Roads being constructed there. It's in the air; it's in the mind; it's in the hands—the inspiration to have the best highways in the world. And to further the cause, and that successfully it is necessary that there be thorough organization—national organization, state organization, county organization, and community organization—that's why the necessity of that most successful of all—The Texas Good Roads Association—the same that plans the grand Good Roads Congress to be held at Medina Lake, in Medina County, on August 17, 18 and 19.

Have you ever been to a Good Roads Convention in Texas? If you have not you have missed one of the greatest events going. Never been to a meeting where there was so much unanimity of purpose; overwhelming desire to do something for the community good; and never before have we met so many men of big ideas as at the Texas Good Roads Convention. It has been that way in the past, and it was that way at the last meeting at Taylor; and its going to be that way at the last meeting at Taylor; and its going to be that way at Medina Lake on August 17, 18, and 19. Write D. E. Colp, San Antonio, for particulars.

Besides the Convention feature there is something that will prove just as captivating—that is the sight of the wonderful Medina Dam. If you have never been there before, of course, here is your opportunity; and if you have visited the Medina Lake in the past; naturally, you will want to see this glorious sight once more. It is more than a sight—there is something tangible and something practical in this trip to Medina Lake—the fishing—the best in the country. You will wonder at the size of the bass and you will tire yourself down pulling the big perch out of the water. And that's just another reason why all the Good Roads enthusiasts are pledging each other to meet at Medina Lake on Aug. 17, 18 and 19.

Lacoste Ledger Laconics.

Mrs. A. H. Ahr and children from Cline are here on a visit to W. H. Hawkes and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Droitcourt were San Antonio visitors last Friday.

Ed. Etter and family from Schertz are visiting relatives here this week.

Misses Della Keller and Martha Kempf from Castroville, who were spending a week at Hondo, returned home Sunday.

Miss Clara Rihn from Castroville is here on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Frank Keller.

Messdames M. A. Kauffmann and George Haas and baby and John Mangold made a flying trip to Castroville to take the baby to the Doctor.

Jacob Etter, who was visiting relatives at Kenedy, returned home Friday. Mr. Etter says it rained more down there than here.

Will Sloan's Liniment Relieve Pain?

Try and see—one application will prove more than a column of claims. James S. Ferguson, Phila., Pa., writes: "I have had wonderful relief since I used Sloan's Liniment on my knees. To think after all these years of pain one application gave me relief. Many thanks for what your remedy has done for me." Don't keep on suffering, apply Sloan's Liniment where your pain is and notice how quick you get relief. Penetrates without rubbing. Buy it at any drug store. 25c.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Mr. John Thein and family spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. R. Balzen and family.—Knippa Cor.

Robert Balzen had the misfortune to get his fingers mashed while repairing an engine. Dr. Hudson dressed them and at present he is doing well.

Miss Mary Frances Baldwin went to Hondo yesterday to spend a few days with friends.

A Good Thing for Children.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a particularly good cold, cough and croup medicine for children because it contains no opiates or habit-forming drugs. The "little colds" of summer, as well as the long standing, deep seated coughs, that hang on for months, are banished by its use. The first dose brings relief and comfort. Sold everywhere, and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

When it rains pitchforks it may be just to help the farmer with his hay.

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Deranged kidneys cause rheumatism, aches, pains, stiffness. Ambrose Gary, Sulphur, Okla., writes: "I was bothered with kidney troubles ten years and at times could hardly walk. I began taking Foley Kidney Pills. I got relief from the first but continued until I had taken three bottles. I feel like a new man." Sold everywhere, and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

WITH THE FRENCH IN THE ARGONNE



—Photo by Paul Thompson, N. Y.
This photo shows a set of German war trophies collected by the French soldiers. It will be noticed that champagne figures conspicuously in the collection.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE HAS MOST POWERFUL LOBBY

Organization Has Been Utterly Fearless and Has Made No Effort To Cloak Its Activities, Says North American Review

The prohibition forces today are organized with a degree of efficiency attained by few moments in the history of the republic. Their efficiency of organization prevents us effectually from drawing a parallel between the Dow movement and the Hobson movement, says the North American Review.

The power of that portion of public opinion which now supports the demand for national prohibition is exerted upon Congress and state political bodies and in elections through the Anti-Saloon League of America. The league organizes and manages every important prohibition fight made in the country, and maintains at Washington one of the most powerful lobbies ever seen at the national capital. It is known as the national legislative headquarters of the league, and is in charge of Rev. E. C. Dinwiddie, national legislative superintendent.

"Clearly a Lobby."
It is a lobby clearly within the sense of the term accepted in modern

American politics. Its representatives, backed by an organized influence of public opinion, are enabled to dictate the attitude of a considerable number of Congressmen on a pending question, with the result that Congressmen, oftentimes are driven to vote against their own views and their own consciences in favor of the measures advocated by the lobby. The harmful effect of such a lobbying enterprise upon our system of government does not admit of controversy. It is inimical to the very spirit of our governmental institutions in that it would remove the legislative power from Congress itself, in so far as the matter of prohibition is concerned, and place this power in the hands of the Anti-Saloon League. A lobby always has been condemned by the American people. The very term "lobby" has been anathema in American politics. The Anti-Saloon League has been utterly fearless in its operations, however, and has made no effort to cloak its activities in the corridors of the House of Representatives.

COST OF PROHIBITION.

A dispatch from Aberdeen, Washington, to the Portland Oregonian says: Taxes in the principal towns on Grays Harbor will be from 20 to 30 per cent higher in 1916 than they were this year, due largely to the loss of saloon licenses. Aberdeen, which has the highest levy of any town in the county, will pay at the rate of 43.33 mills. A part of the increased levy is due to a small increase in the assessor's valuation. The loss of saloon licenses, however, has cut a deep hole in all city budgets, Aberdeen alone

losing \$36,000 from this source. Generally people are not lamenting the fact, however, that the state has gone dry.

The assessments in the various towns are as follows:

Hoquiam will pay a levy of 45.43 mills in 1916, as against a 39.48 mill levy this year.

Elma will pay a levy of 47.95 mills, as against a levy of 38.58 mills in 1915.

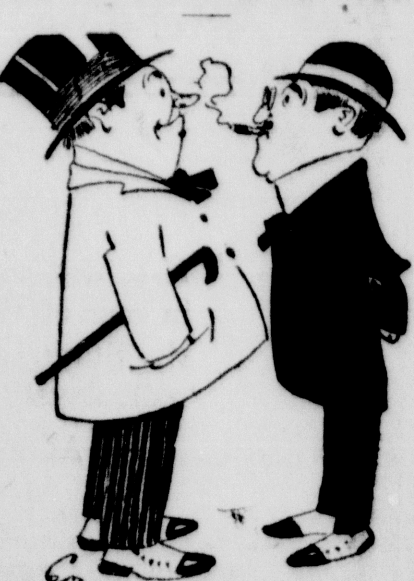
Montesano will pay a levy of 55.05 mills in 1916, as against a 45.8 mill levy this year, 28 mills of this being for city purposes.

ON BOARD A BRITISH TORPEDO BOAT



—Photo by Paul Thompson, N. Y.
It will be seen from the above picture that there is no rule or regulation in the British Navy against drinking. Britannia rules the seas and the scene depicted is in direct contrast to the recent prohibitory measure inaugurated by Secretary Daniels of the U. S. Navy.

BRITISH BUSINESS METHODS.



"Has your son brought back any business methods from London?"
"Oh! yes. He thinks we ought to serve tea afternoons and that all the stenographers ought to be blondes."

Helps Some.
"A woman is never happy unless she is in style."
"Perhaps that is true, but she can get a great deal of comfort out of knowing that some woman is not in style."

The Difference.
"How is it that one of those brothers succeeded so well in business while the other went to state prison?"
"Well, you see, one forged ahead and the other forged a hand."

A Usual Title.
"What is that distinguished-looking Mexican's name?"
"I don't remember. Just call him 'general' and the chances are that you won't go wrong."

No Impression.
"I know of one place where a wireless call for help would have no effect."
"Where is that?"
"An intelligence office."

You Need a Tonic

There are times in every woman's life when she needs a tonic to help her over the hard places. When that time comes to you, you know what tonic to take—Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is composed of purely vegetable ingredients, which act gently, yet surely, on the weakened womanly organs, and helps build them back to strength and health. It has benefited thousands and thousands of weak, ailing women in its past half century of wonderful success, and it will do the same for you.

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CALOMEL DYNAMITES YOUR LIVER! MAKES YOU SICK AND SALIVATES

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Starts Your Liver Better Than Calomel and You Don't Lose a Day's Work

Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful, make your work a pleasure, be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crashes into your bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced, just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver

Tone tonight. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working; headache, dizziness gone; stomach will be sweet and bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of Calomel is almost stopped entirely here.



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If you are at all troubled with constipation, Foley Cathartic Tablets will be a blessing to you—they not only induce a natural, comfortable movement, but they have a strengthening and beneficial effect upon the intestinal tract.

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(By B. LARA.)

There has been an increase of more than 41,100 in the membership of various boys' and girls' agricultural clubs conducted by the state agricultural colleges and the department of agriculture.

Two years ago there were 210,077 members of the various agricultural club projects in the 33 states covered by this work. One year ago the membership had grown to 151,194, exclusive of the enrollments in the mother-daughter canning clubs.

This work is being carried on co-operatively in 26 of the 33 states in the northern, central and western territory by the department of agriculture and the extension departments of the state colleges of agriculture. In practically every state short courses for boys and girls and special demonstration schools have been held at the colleges and in the field. During the past year, 1,557 club members attended the midwinter courses at the colleges, 968 of these having their expenses paid by local contributions as a recognition of their achievements in club work. Of the 38 club members who, as champions in their states, districts or counties two years ago, have become recognized as National All-Star club members, 31 are now attending high schools, agricultural or other colleges, three of the remaining seven have already graduated from high school, and one will go to an agricultural college this next fall.

Experience has shown that the work in the boys' and girls' clubs can be carried on with even greater success without the aid of large cash prizes

and awards. The net profits from the work itself have been found to be the best possible incentive. The members have their attention directed to problems of farm and home management, crop rotation, soil building, etc., and in practically every state in which the work is being carried on a large number of club members are now working out three and four-year rotations of crops. The profits which they derive from club work they are spending on getting an education, or for purchase of purebred stock and labor-saving



Prize Winner Raised by Oklahoma Boy.

machinery. Many are even buying land and thus acquiring an invaluable sense of dignity and independence.

In the canning work, 938 public demonstrations were held during the year, with a total attendance of 118,367. These demonstrations were held primarily for the club members, but parents were always invited and, as a matter of fact, more than half of those present were grown men and women. One of the great advantages of this club work, indeed, is the fact that it serves to stimulate the parents as well as the children.

BASEBALL AS KNOWN TODAY WAS INVENTED BY ORIOLES

John McGraw, Hugh Jennings and Other Members of Famous Team Originated "Inside Stuff."

The old Baltimore team of 1894-5, one of the greatest teams ever got together, originators of the new style of ball play, was a galaxy of athletes who were endowed with brains and brawn, and made them count in the game of baseball. With a pitching staff composed of such mediocre hurlers as Hemming, Esper and Hopper, with the old stars who were in the sore and yellow, such as Tony Mullane, "Kid" Gleason and "Dumpling" McMahon, the team won three pennants. Later it added Arlie Pond and Jimmy McJames. All these hurlers made records in games won owing to the brilliancy of the team behind them.

A most peculiar fact about the famous Baltimores of 1894-5 was that they were all at one time or another battery men. Johnny McGraw began his career on the diamond as a pitcher, and was credited with being very tricky, but a fierce kicker. Hugh Jen-



John McGraw.

nings was no false alarm as a catcher, and his friends declare that he made a mistake when he switched for an infield position. "Wee Willie" Keeler was a left-handed hurler, but lacked weight for pitching, but seemed to have the necessary avoidupois to hit a ball as hard as the best. The noted Ed Hanlon, manager of the team, used to pitch before taking to the outfield.

Then there was Joe Kelley of the Torontos. When Joe was a full-fledged Oriole he played the outfield, but Mr. Kelley won considerable fame as a hurler of curves and otherwise. Even "Big Dan" Brothers began his baseball career as a pitcher, but that was away back. Reitz, the second baseman, also infield F. Bonner, were good catchers, and spent part of their minor league days behind the bat, and the famous Walter (Steve) Brodie was a clever backstopper at one time. So every player on that famous old team won his spurs either as a pitcher of curves or as a receiver of them.

Four of the famous squad are now four of the greatest managers in the game, and "Kid" Gleason is in line for a big league job as manager, and it's not to be wondered at that the Baltimore team of those days won pennants with J. McGraw, Hugh Jennings, Wilbur Robinson, Joe Kelley in its ranks, and Edward Hanlon, the manager of managers, at the helm.

Life Bright for "Kiddies" Whose Parents Follow the Advice of Luther Burbank

Luther Burbank, the famous wonder worker among flowers, fruits and vegetables, has not forgotten to study the rearing of children as well. According to his advice the child's education should be largely of his own working out in a happy world of mud-pies, grasshoppers, tadpoles, and frogs. There should be trees to climb, brooks to wade in, various animals to pet, and all kinds of little creatures to study. "Any child who has been deprived of these has been deprived of the best part of his education," says Mr. Burbank.

Many mothers agree with this idea, and would discourage any actual book work for very young children beyond perhaps reading and writing. Little girls should be sent off to skip and dance and cook instead of to do sums and dictation. The occultists tell us that no child should read type in which the capitals are under a quarter of an inch high and that he should use his eyes if possible on large things and out in the open. Eye-strain and effort of attention are source of the nerve disorders too common in children.

Colleges of Presidents.

Three presidents of the United States have been Harvard men, the Adamases and Roosevelt. Two have been Princeton men, Madison and Wilson. Jefferson, Monroe and John Tyler were from William and Mary. Polk was graduated from the University of North Carolina, Pierce from Bowdoin, Buchanan from Dickinson, Hayes from Kenyon, Garfield from Williams, Arthur from Union, Benjamin Harrison from Miami and Taft from Yale. Although there have been a dozen soldiers elected to the presidency because of their military achievements, Grant is the only West Point graduate.

STAR OF FILMDOM



Mary Fuller.

Young actress who has risen high in the movie world.

Poultry Pointers.

(By H. L. KEMPSTER, Missouri College of Agriculture.)

As the chicks grow they need more room. It does not pay to let them crowd.

Beware of musty, moldy, sour or decayed food. It is sure to cause trouble.

Tough grass is of no value as a green food. Better sow some quick-growing crop.

Feed hoppers greatly reduce the work. If they are kept filled, the chicks will never go hungry.

If your chicks are not doing well something is wrong. Look out for lice and for worms in the intestines.

Two-year-old hens had better be sent to the market. They seldom pay for their feed if kept over a third season.

Grit and oyster shell should be included in the ration for both young and old. To neglect this would be poor economy.

Young stock will do better if not compelled to pick their living with the old. There will also be less trouble from lice.

Shade is one of the most important essentials during the hot months. Get the chicks into the orchard and corn-field.

A growing chick will not thrive on short rations. If the right kind of food is fed, there is little danger of over-feeding, especially if they are given plenty of range.

Supplement the regular feeds with a wet mash—fed crumbly. Feed all the chicks will clean up before going to roost, but none should be left in the trough, for it will sour.

Mark the pullets this fall so that you will know just how old your hens are. A leg band on the right leg one year and on the left leg the next will assist in culling the flock. A hog ring will serve the purpose.

Big Agricultural Warehouse.

New Orleans has the largest agricultural warehouse in the world. It has a capacity of 2,000,000 bales of cotton and is adapted to the storage of all other packed commodities, such as sugar and coffee. It was built at a cost of \$3,500,000 by the state of Louisiana and is said to reduce the cost of handling any agricultural commodity 40 per cent. There are 23 acres of ground under roof, while the entire plant occupies 150 acres.

Water Works Notice.

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Passing of Virginia City Recalls Its Old Glories

Despairing of a revival of Virginia City, Nev., the Enterprise, a newspaper on which Mark Twain once worked, has given up the ghost. In dying it recalls attention to a city once as familiar on men's tongues as Verdun is today, but for reasons quite other. The city of fabulous riches, the city where millions came and went in an hour, the city whose earth yielded the coveted metal as in geyser floods, the city that had a life and a luxury which today amid its sagebrush seem mythical, is now a collection of shacks, no longer able to support a newspaper. Only yesterday, it seems, Virginia City was the most populous in Nevada, though Carson City, as we all learned in our geographies, was the capital. Few things in American history are more romantic than the rise and fall of Virginia City. The state of Nevada survives—a sovereign state is indestructible. In area it equals all of New York and New England combined; Staten Island is more populous. Nevada has had its Reno and its Goldfields, for one thing or another famed, as it has the husk of the once dazzling mining camp, now bereft of its newspaper. But Nevada, with all its vast extent, has not yet learned to graft cactus with cabages, and until it does its Bedouin cities will fold their tents like the Arabs.—New York Globe.

The Dream Ship

By H. STANLEY HASKINS.

Sleep is the gangplank for me, it seems.
From the everyday world to my ship of dreams.
And faith as I cross it I leave my mind Safe with its thoughts, on the wharf behind.
Pixie and goblin and fairy and elf, All are aboard for a voyage, like myself.
And each has for baggage, the journey to start.
A happy-go-lucky, go-plucky gay heart. 'Tis often we sail by the light of a moon That hangs in the sky like a paper balloon.
Yet sometimes the harbor is dappled and bright, And never we leave it for all of the night.
The ship has no crew and no helmsman to steer, No compass to guide from the Where to the Here.
But always, at morning, our journey is o'er, And it's over the gangplank of sleep to the shore.

What Women Are Doing.

Dr. Katherine Bement Davis, head of the department of corrections in New York city, has charge of over 5,500 prisoners.

Selma Lagerlof, the Swedish authoress and only woman to ever receive the Nobel prize for literature, makes nearly as much from her herd of Jersey cows as she does from her books.

Miss Frances Weiser, who is employed as a paleontologic draftsman in the United States geological survey, makes most of her drawings under a microscope, as accuracy is essential.

Dr. Anna Manning Comfort is the only surviving member of the first graduating class of the New York Medical college for women. The first batch of doctors were turned out just 50 years ago.

Mrs. Fred A. Busse, wife of the late mayor of Chicago, is now working for that city as a collector at a salary of \$30 per week.

Investigations among the three great industries—the Southern cotton group, the glass industry and the Pennsylvania silk group—show that more than two-thirds of the girls employed are under twenty years of age, while the proportion of married women runs from 10 per cent up to 60 per cent.

It seems the cannibals are about the only people who don't shoot others just to see them fall. The cannibal kills only enough to supply his family needs.

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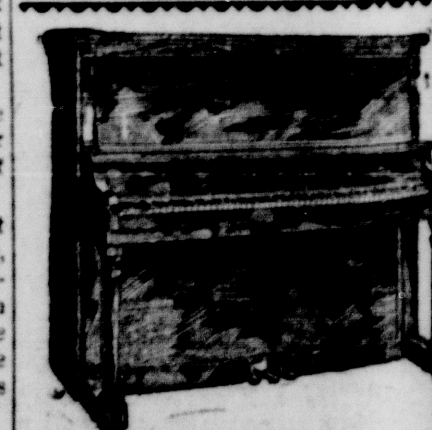
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EXPENSE OF FEEDING MULES

Result of Test Made at Hays Substation—Animals Made Increase of 105 Pounds Per Head.

During the past winter a feeding test was conducted at the Hays substation of Kansas, in which weanling mules were fed for a period of 131 days for an average of \$8.16 per head. The total cost of maintaining the 31 mules used in the experiment was \$252.96, including labor. The average initial weight was 545 pounds, and during the experiment there was an increase of 105 pounds per head.

The mules were fed 6,510 pounds of sudan hay, valued at \$4 per ton; 3,380 pounds of cane hay at \$2.50 per ton; 10,115 pounds of alfalfa hay at \$6 per ton; 12,660 pounds of kafir tailings at \$2 per ton; 6,860 pounds of sorghum fodder at \$1.50 per ton; 201 pounds of oats at 45 cents per bushel; 10,066 pounds of corn-and-cob meal at 6 cents per cwt.; 1,000 pounds of oil meal at \$1.54 per cwt.; 50 pounds of salt at 75 cents per cwt.; and were given alfalfa pasture 1½ months at 3 cents per head per month. In addition to these costs there was a charge of \$5 for veterinary expenses, 146 hours of man labor at 21 cents per hour, 15 hours of horse labor at 10 cents per hour and 300 hours' use of equipment at 3½ cents per hour.

NOT MUCH CHANCE FOR RAIN

Florida State Agent Advises Farmers to Conserve Moisture by Cultivating the Crops.

C. K. McQuarrie, state agent for the University of Florida extension division, advises farmers to save all the rain that they can within the next few months. Mr. McQuarrie thinks that there is not much chance for plenty of rain until the rainy season. At any rate, as long as the present drought continues moisture conservation should be practiced.

Land should be cultivated after every rain. This will break the crust and prevent moisture from escaping. It is not enough to cultivate near the plant rows and leave the middles unbroken. Moisture will soon find channels through the unbroken surface. The capillary force works horizontally as well as vertically, and can transport water in any direction.

CHICKENS RELISH A VARIETY

No Economy in Feeding Fowls on One Kind of Grain—Do Well on Range With Corn.

There is no economy in feeding fowls entirely on one kind of grain, though if they are on free range the best one grain for the purpose is corn.

If the range is a good one, they will sometimes do reasonably well on what they can pick up in addition to the corn.

CONSERVE ALL FARM MANURE

Necessary for Farmer to Save All Fertilizers Produced—Sheltered Pit Should Be Made.

During the present potato famine it is necessary for every farmer to conserve carefully all the farm manures produced. It is a well-known fact that farm manures contain a large proportion of the potash that was originally in the plants consumed by the animals. The amount of potash in the manure varies directly with the amount in the plants. Those animals fond of plants running high in potash produce a manure running high in this element. Goat manure is a striking illustration. Animals fond of plants running high in ammonia produce a manure high in ammonia. Horse and cattle manure are in this class. Poultry manure runs high in ammonia and phosphoric acid.

Dean P. H. Rolfs of the University of Florida college of agriculture calls attention to the fact that the ammonia, potash and phosphoric acid content of the manures of these farm animals is in the best condition for use as a fertilizer. If the manures are not protected against leaching rains, the soluble fertilizers or the fertilizing elements available to plants will be washed out and the manures will lose a large amount of their value.

A manure pit, sheltered against rain, should be provided on every farm. There is no better fertilizer and at the same time there is no more profitable form of fertilizer to employ than farm manures.

HOGS ARE MOST PROFITABLE

Pork Can Be Raised at Less Cost Than Cotton—Animals Will Gather Their Own Feed.

Hogs are worth about ten cents a pound on the market—almost as much as cotton. You can raise twice as many pounds of hogs per acre as you can of cotton and at less cost. Take the hog end of the proposition.

Plant peas, peanuts, clover, grasses, chufas, sweet potatoes, sorghum and the like for hogs. They will gather their own crop without waste and every pound they gather is at once converted into a finished product ready for the market at a good profit.

KEEP ALL FARM TOOLS SHARP

Tends to Conserve Horse Feed and Strength—Saves Time, Temper and Human Vitality.

By keeping the farm tools sharp you save horse feed and horse strength. It does better work, more of it in one day and pays a better profit. It saves time, temper and human vitality. A good emery stone will pay for itself in one season—get you one and keep the tools sharp.—Clemson College Bulletin.